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## EXHIBIT #VII.D.

TO: Members of the State Board of Education

FROM: Thomas A. Desjardin, Acting Commissioner\*

DATE: July 15, 2015

SUBJECT: Receipt of the State Review Team Report of Findings for the College of the

Atlantic (COA) Educational Studies Program

<u>BACKGROUND</u>: A review team approved by the State Board of Education conducted an onsite visit of the College of the Atlantic (COA), Educational Studies Department for the renewal of State approved program for their undergraduate education certification program.

The Educational Studies Program has four educator preparation programs that lead to certification. The four programs are as follows:

- Elementary Education
- Secondary Social Studies
- Secondary English Language Arts
- Second Life Science

<u>RECOMMENDATION</u>: That the State Board of Education receive the State Review Team report for the College of the Atlantic (COA) Educational Studies Program.

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